

Moving to 'Living' Stroke Clinical Guidelines

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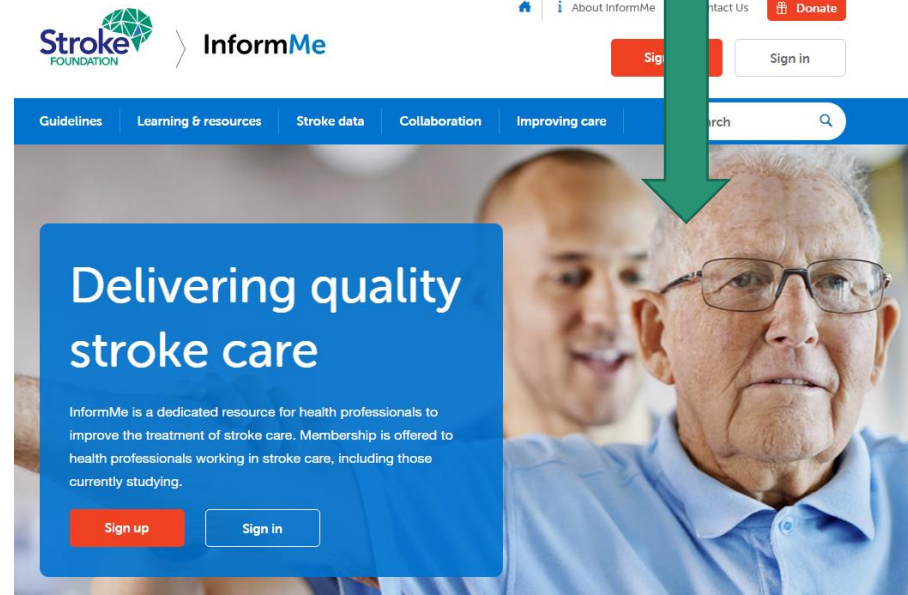
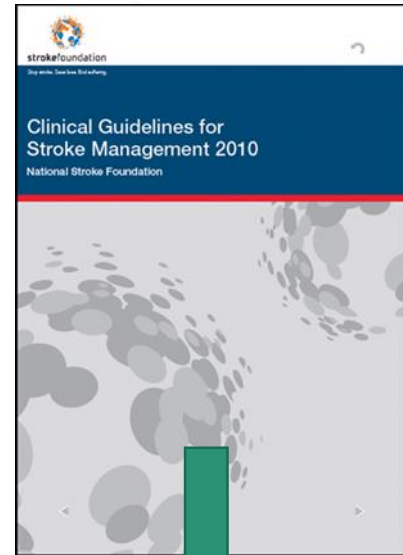
Background

- Guidelines since 2003
- Trying to collaborate internationally since 2006
- Normally 2 year updating cycle
- Train and use volunteer experts
- Advocating for living guidelines for many years

Previous versions:

2003; 2005; 2007; 2010; 2017

National Stroke Audit since 2007.



Current challenges

- 1. Volume of literature (~110,000 citations -267% increase)**
- 2. Project management – ongoing engagement of busy experts, definitions of ‘living’, public consultation process**
- 3. No central agency for guidelines in Australia (and robust but slow approval process by NHMRC)**
- 4. Impact on knowledge translation +++**
- 5. Potential impact on performance indicators**
- 6. Funding...**

Possible solutions?

1. Clear prioritisation decisions for key topics
2. Collaboration with Cochrane Stroke Group
3. Consistent methodology (GRADE etc)
4. Online tools (MAGICapp, Covidence etc).
5. International collaboration
6. Sell kidneys on black market...(joke)

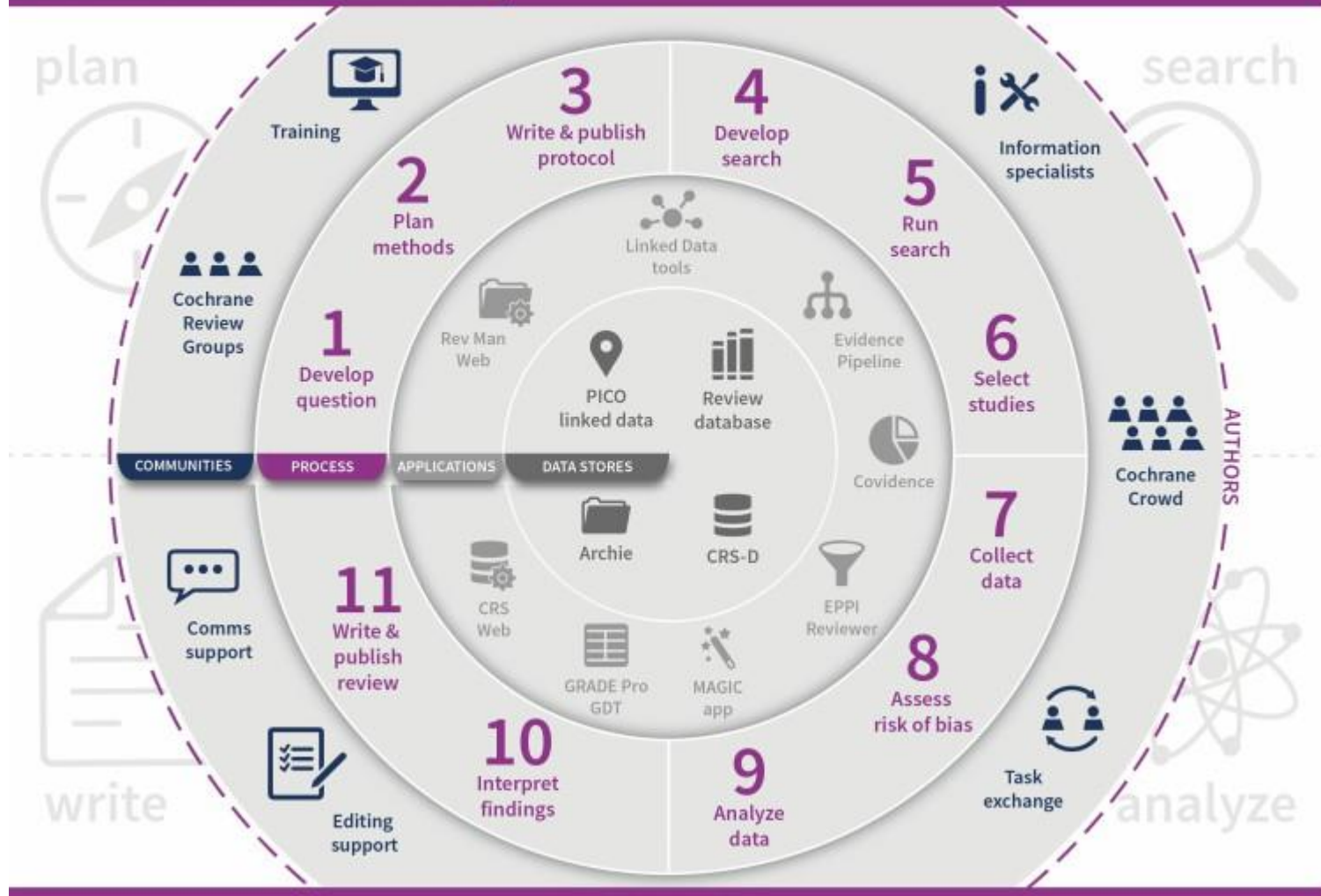


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New Cochrane Review Ecosystem



Where to from here?

- › Collaboration with Cochrane Stroke Group for literature identification
- › Prioritisation criteria –what are others using?
- › Successful international collaboration?
- › Advocacy with Australian Government+++ to fund model
- › Communication with NHMRC and testing approval of updated guideline

Questions?